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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jain et al.) Group Art Unit: 1794
Serial No.: 10/601,085) Examiner: Matthew D. Matzek
)) Conf. No.: 7055
Filed: June 20, 2003)
For: Chemical Protective Articles of)
Apparel and Enclosures)

Commissioner for Patents
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being electronically submitted to the Commissioner for Patents on the date shown below:



Susan H. Dunbar

May 13, 2008
(date of submission)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for three (3) months, to and including May 13, 2008, be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a) in order to extend the period for response to the outstanding rejection of November 13, 2007.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the required fee, and for any additional charges that may be incurred.

Respectfully submitted,


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